REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicant has received the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated August 30, 2007. The Notice states that the Status Identifiers in claims 1, 6, and 8 are incorrect. Applicant respectfully suggests that the Status Identifiers are correct, since each of those claims was amended by the July 26, 2006 amendment. The error was that the amendments themselves were not shown in claims 1, 6, and 8. Accordingly, Applicant has shown the amendments in the above listing of claims and now believes the amendment is in full compliance with the Rules.

Conclusion

For all of the reasons set out above, Applicant respectfully submits that the items found to be non-compliant have been corrected and respectfully requests that the Examiner enter the amendments. If the Examiner feels that a telephone conference would expedite the resolution of this case, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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